

# OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Happened and What is Going On Told in Short Paragraphs That "He Who Runs May Read" The Sun.

Harvard of Arredondo was in the city yesterday.

Mansfield of Rochelle was in the city yesterday.

Beville of Bevilleville was in the city yesterday.

J. J. Barr of Micanopy was in the city yesterday.

Nish, the High Springs baker, was in the city on business yesterday.

Foster of Micanopy was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Herrin of Micanopy was among business visitors to this city yesterday.

J. S. Neal of McIntosh was transacting business in Gainesville yesterday.

Cannon of Rocky Point was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Futch of Alachua has returned to his place after a brief but pleasant visit to his family here.

and Mrs. John McCredie were among the Micanopy folks who favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday.

Fannie Mizelle of Melrose, one of the efficient teachers of Alachua county, has entered the normal school.

Dr. C. L. Carter has gone to Point, Ga., where she expects to spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Robinson.

W. L. Bennett of LaCrosse and J. E. Simmons of Ward City, Bradford county, were among the visitors to this city yesterday.

Miss Clara and Elizabeth Smith, among young ladies of Ingold, N. C., were in the city, guests of their aunt, Mrs. A. J. Vidal.

James Craton of Micanopy, county surveyor, was in the city yesterday.

was en route to Newberry on professional business.

Among the prominent Micanopy folk who favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday was Dr. H. L. Montgomery, who came on business.

W. C. Jones and Chas. W. Stevens, prominent citizens of Alachua, were in the city for a few hours yesterday.

They were en route to Seaside, where they will recuperate for a few weeks during the heated term.

J. K. Foster of Rochelle, one of the most widely known residents of that section, was in the city yesterday, and during his business renewed his subscription to The Sun. Mr. Foster is now holding a responsible position with the U. S. naval stores manufacturer at Rochelle.

Friends of Mrs. James Chesnut of Alachua, who has been quite ill at Lake Springs, where she went for her health, will be glad to learn that her condition is greatly improved, and that she is long the probabilities are that she will regain her normal health.

Her daughter, Mrs. Service, of Jacksonville, is still with her, but Mrs. B. F. Jordan of this city, who returned, as her condition was considered entirely out of danger.

The attention of property owners is specially directed to the notice of intent to sell certain lands, which appears in this issue. Some material increase in valuations have been made and the county commissioners will meet on Monday, August 7th, to hear appeals from those whose assessments have been increased, after which they will have no remedy. If you appear before the board on that day you will have only your own testimony for your assessment reduction.

Edwin, of Alachua, was among the visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Locke has been for the past three years relief agent of the Coast Line, but recently resigned and bought out the livery interest of Stringfellow at Alachua.

He has a great deal of confidence in that town, which he believes will be the second city of importance in Alachua county. Mr. Locke is a clear fellow, a conservative business man, and will no doubt prosper in his new vocation, which is the wish of his friends.

Mrs. Rosa Waters, delivery clerk in the Gainesville postoffice, has returned to this city much to the delight of her many friends as well as the patrons of the postoffice. She has been in Fitzgerald and Brunswick, Ga. Friends of Mrs. Waters, however, will learn with regret of the death of her niece, Miss Edith Mildred Taylor, the twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Taylor, which occurred at Fitzgerald on the 23rd ult., of typhoid fever. The interment was held in Brunswick, where the family have now moved.

Aunt Caroline Davis, one of the oldest colored residents of this city, died Sunday. She was a faithful servant in the Stringfellow family for years, and was highly esteemed by both white and colored people. Aunt Caroline was eighty-five years old and leaves two sons to mourn her death, Lawrence Davis, the colored baker of this city, and another son who resides in Tampa. She was one of the few members of her race who were here in ante bellum days, and her passing to the Great Beyond reminds us forcibly of the fact that the "good old darkeys" are fast leaving us, never to return. She deserved a good reward and there is no doubt but that she found it in the skies above.

### From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

J. M. Shaw of Alachua was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. R. W. Small of Hague was in the city shopping yesterday.

Miss Bradley of Wacahoota was in the city yesterday shopping.

C. C. Waits of Hawthorn was transacting business in the county capital yesterday.

Miss Wolfe, a charming young lady of Alachua, was shopping in the city yesterday.

Miss Annie McLean of Archer was in the city yesterday, the guest of Miss Irene McCreary.

Mrs. M. P. Grover, an estimable lady of Micanopy, made a visit to friends in this city yesterday.

C. W. Wells of Alachua was among the prominent visitors of that section to Gainesville yesterday.

Wm. Adams of Windor, more familiarly known as "Doc" Adams, was trading in the city yesterday.

W. B. Davis of Hague, a progressive merchant of that town, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Hiram Hunter, a farmer of Hague, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the tax assessor's office.

J. C. Getzen of Webster is in the city. He was summoned here on account of the illness of his wife, a sister of Mrs. J. F. Bunch.

A. H. Emerson of Kirkwood, one of the leading and most successful truckers of that section, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Saluda, 2,800 feet, in mountains of North Carolina. "Hane Cottage," shaded grounds, lovely situation. Fine view of mountains. Table best. Cool, bracing. Blankets at night. Rates reasonable. Address Mrs. A. R. Elmore, Saluda, N. C.

Mrs. W. E. Veal of Rochelle was in the city yesterday shopping. It will be remembered that Mr. Veal had the misfortune to lose his stock of merchandise at Rochelle recently but expects to put in another stock as soon as he can secure a building.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brannan left yesterday for Tampa, which city they will make their future home. Mrs. Brannan was formerly Miss Mattie Whiting of this city, and was married about ten days ago. Friends trust that she will be well pleased with her new home.

## READ THIS.

PRYOR, TENN., June 1, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.—Dear Sir: I have suffered several years from kidney and bladder trouble and have tried a number of preparations, but can truthfully say that nothing has proved so effective as your Texas Wonder, which I can truthfully recommend.

GEO. W. CLAIBORNE.

## A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 438, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

Great Bargains—Two full outfits, complete, one large and one small shingle mill, with boilers, engines, shafting, pulleys, etc., at a sacrifice. Geo. W. Moyers, Gainesville, Fla.

A marriage ceremony was performed by Judge H. G. Mason yesterday, the contracting parties being D. H. Hartley of Orange county and Miss Cora E. Davis of Earleton, white. Mr. and Mrs. Hartley expect to make their future home in Orange county, and The Sun wishes them unalloyed conjugal bliss.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McDonald sympathize with them in the death of one of their infant sons, which occurred a day or two recently. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and child left yesterday for Cedar Key, where they will recuperate for a few days for the health of the latter and it is hoped a change for the better will be noted.

Perry M. Colson has returned from Asheville, N. C., where he went with his family about three weeks ago. Mr. Colson left his family, but was compelled to return home on account of business. He states that the weather in Asheville is delightful and invigorating at this season of the year. There are about 20,000 visitors from every section of the country at that favorite resort now.

The Alachua County Board of Public Instruction met yesterday for the purpose of canvassing the various districts which voted for and against the establishment of special tax districts, etc., Thursday of the past week. The result has already been published in The Sun, that every precinct voted in favor of the sub-school district, which was a mark of the progress being made throughout the county for proper and thorough education.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Townsend of Rex were in the city yesterday. Mr. Townsend, who is a trustee of Godwin Seminary, one of the oldest and best schools in the county, came on business with the school board, while his good wife made a brief visit to her sister, Mrs. W. D. Fagan. Mr. Townsend states that Miss Ida Wiggins will be principal of Godwin Seminary the coming term, with Miss Willie May McIntosh as assistant. Both young ladies are efficient teachers and will give the patrons an efficient and a faithful service.

# New York Racket

CHEAPEST STORE ON EARTH

Have you ever tried a pair of our \$2 "Crown" line of Shoes for men? They are the equal of most \$2.50 shoes. They come in various styles and a pair is sure to please you. In fact, our Shoe department is full of good things for the feet.

## Men's Straw Hats

Will now be closed out regardless of cost. We don't want to carry over a single Straw Hat. We have some pretty ones left which we want to sell you.

## Candy Candy

We are still selling that delicious Candy at 10 and 20 cents per pound. It is simply fine. Suppose you try it?

## Phifer Brothers,

Phifer's Corner, Gainesville, Fla.

Attention is directed to the change of advertisement of B. H. Levy, Bro. & Co., Savannah, Ga., which appears elsewhere in this issue. This firm is offering a great reduction in summer shirt waists, and inasmuch as they carry the largest and most complete line in the South, prospective customers will find not only great values, but a fine assortment of Chinas, lawns, linens, Swisses and organdies from which to select. Read the advertisement, and if you are needing anything in that line you may profit thereby. Mail orders will receive prompt and special attention.

Mrs. J. H. Jarvis of this city received the sad intelligence yesterday that her niece, Mrs. W. J. Baxley, died at Waycross, Ga., at 8 p. m. Mrs. Baxley was formerly Miss Bessie Wiggins and attended East Florida Seminary two terms, and was very popular among the people of Gainesville, having frequently visited Mrs. Jarvis after the termination of her school days. She had only been married eighteen months, and her death was a great shock to Mrs. Jarvis, no news of her sickness having been previously received. Deceased was possessed of a most amiable disposition and made friends of all with whom she became acquainted. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of a host of friends in their sad affliction.

### From Thursday's Daily Sun:

W. A. Porter of Rochelle was transacting business in this city yesterday.

House and lot for sale in South Gainesville. Apply at Sun office, dawtf

Perry M. Colson left yesterday for Trenton and other points on business. He expects to be absent several days.

Chas. M. Dell of Hague, W. H. Green of Branford and B. L. Boone of Cadillac were among those who came to Gainesville on business yesterday.

J. J. Mixson and son, E. S. Mixson, of Williston, were among the visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Mixson owns considerable real estate here.

F. S. Osteen, the naval stores operator of Micanopy, was in the city yesterday. He was en route home from White Springs, where he has been for the past few days with his family, who are spending the summer there.

J. F. Bruton of Centrol, Marion county, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mixson. Mr. Bruton is a brother of Mrs. Mixson and is postmaster at Centrol. He made The Sun a short call yesterday to renew his subscription to this paper.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Annie E. Bailey, and persons crediting her or trading with her, do so at their own risk. JAMES S. BAILEY, Newberry, Fla., July 7th, 1905.

We have received a circular descriptive of the Suwannee Sulphur Springs, hotel and cottages, with information and testimonials as to value and use of the water, rates, etc. Our readers can get one of these pamphlets by calling at Johnson's drug store. dawtf

The ladies of Kirby Smith Chapter, U. D. C., again desire to impress upon the public that if the free library is awarded to them the reference books will be donated to the public high school and the others to the new hospital. These books of reference are badly needed by the schools and this is the opportunity to obtain them. dawtf

Misses Charlotte and Florence Steekert, the charming daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steekert, expect to make their departure this morning for Jacksonville, from whence they will sail via Clyde Line for New York. From New York City they will take a sail up the Hudson, proceeding thence to Niagara Falls, where they will spend a season.

Many people here who wanted to see Dr. Armstrong on his former visit, but whose short stay did not give them the opportunity, will be pleased to learn that a special visit has been arranged for the following cities on dates named: Starke, July 20; Waldo, July 21; Gainesville, July 22-23; Alachua, July 24; Lake Butler, July 25. He requests that the present patients will call at the hotel to make reports on their cases, and he would be pleased to meet any others who are desirous of obtaining his services.

Deputy Sheriff F. S. Carl of Archer was in the city yesterday, having brought George Rollins, a colored man, who was sent up for three months for refusing to support his wife. Rollins was arraigned before Justice Colman in this city several weeks ago and sentenced, but it was suspended with the understanding that Rollins should pay his wife \$1.50 a week for her support. This he has failed to do, according to the wife's statement, and he will now be committed to prison.

Henry Chitty received a telephone message this morning stating that Dolph Chamberlain lost his residence Wednesday night, the building being burned to the ground and everything therein consumed with the exception of the piano. The family lost all their wearing apparel. Mr. Chamberlain not even saving his shoes. Just how the fire originated is not known, but it is supposed to have been the work of rats igniting matches. The loss is about three thousand dollars, with one thousand dollars insurance. Friends of the family deeply sympathize with them in their loss. Mr. Chamberlain is reported to have been very severely burned in his efforts to save some of his effects.

Dr. E. H. Armstrong, the well known eye specialist of Jacksonville who paid our city a visit a short time ago, is making a special return trip to Starke, Waldo, Gainesville, Alachua and Lake Butler in the interest of his already many patients, and to allow any others who wish his services to consult him. The Doctor will be assisted and represented by one of the leading specialists, Dr. E. F. Smith, whom he introduces and recommends to his patients and friends here as a man of the very highest ability, and assures them that full dependence may be placed in Dr. Smith's services. At the Commercial Hotel, Starke, July 20; Waldo House, Waldo, July 21; Brown House, Gainesville, July 22-23; Sheffield House, Alachua, July 24; Duncan House, Lake Butler, July 25.

Free to All Our Subscribers—The Great American Farmer, Indianapolis, Indiana, the leading agricultural journal of the nation, edited by an able corps of writers. The American Farmer is the only literary farm journal published. It fills a position of its own and has taken the leading place in the homes of rural people in every section of the United States. It gives the farmer and his family something to think about aside from the humdrum of routine duties. Every issue contains an original poem by Solon L. Goode. For the next thirty days we offer two for the price of one: The Twice-a-Week Sun, the leading county paper, and The American Farmer, both one year for \$1. This unparalleled offer is made to all new subscribers, and all old ones who pay up all arrears and renew within thirty days. Sample copies free. Address The Sun, Gainesville, Fla.

### RETURNED TO FIRST LOVE.

Mr. Pellett and Family, After Long Absence, Return to Old Home.

Mr. Pellett and family, formerly of this city but for the past few years residents of Jacksonville, have returned to their first love, so to speak, and will be content to remain citizens of Alachua county for an indefinite period.

It is understood that Mr. Pellett has purchased the Hanson farm on Bayne's Arm, Paine's Prairie, comprising about forty acres of as fertile farming lands as can be found in the county, where he proposes to farm and raise stock. He has already secured thirty head of fine cattle and proposes to go into the business right as he is confident there is money in stock raising.

The Pellett family will be gladly welcomed on their return as residents of this section.

### Attention, Ye Needy.

For home purchasing contracts or loans in the Standard Guarantee and Trust Co. of Washington, D. C., write to Geo. W. Moyers, or call at the "Racket Store" of J. C. Evans in Gainesville. If I am not there, Mr. Evans will wait on you for me.

GEO. W. MOYERS.

June 1st, 1905.



## For Those That Thirsteth,

And during the sultry summer that means everyone, we are showing so remarkably good values in Cut Glass, Water and Lemonade Sets, complete with tray. These articles make a very handsome decoration for the sideboard or table, in addition to being a most useful and welcome addition to your household service.

L. C. SMITH